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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Rao et al.

Examiner: C. Chen

Serial No.: 10/539,498

Art Unit: 1655

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For: A PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF ANTIOXIDANT FROM INDIAN CURRY LEAVES (MURRAYA KOENIGII SPRENG)

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Sir:

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER'S DECISION
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES
AND PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Examiner mailed October 29, 2007 finally rejecting pending claims 1, 3 and 6 in connection with the above-identified application. The required fee for a large entity for filing a Notice of Appeal under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b) is FIVE HUNDRED TEN DOLLARS (\$510.00) and a check including this amount is enclosed. A response to the October 29, 2007 Final Office Action was due on January 29, 2008. Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time. The fee for a three-month extension of time for a large entity is ONE THOUSAND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$1,050.00) and a check including this amount is enclosed. A response to the October 29, 2007 Final Office Action is now due April 29, 2008. Accordingly, this Notice of Appeal and Petition for a three-month extension of time is being timely filed.

No fee, other than the enclosed \$510.00 fee for filing a Notice of Appeal and the \$1,050.00 fee for a three-month extension of time, is deemed necessary. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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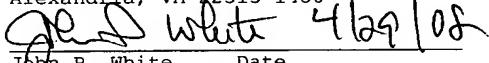
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